

## DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE CIVIL RIGHTS DIVISION OVERSIGHT

*Committee on the Judiciary:* Committee concluded an oversight hearing to examine the Department of Justice, Civil Rights Division, after receiving testimony from Thomas E. Perez, Assistant Attorney General, Department of Justice.

## INTELLIGENCE

*Select Committee on Intelligence:* Committee held closed hearings on intelligence matters, receiving testimony from officials of the intelligence community.

Committee recessed subject to the call.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 23 public bills, H.R. 5065–5087; and 10 resolutions, H. Res. 1271–1280, were introduced. **Pages H2694–96**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H2696–98**

**Reports Filed:** There were no reports filed today.

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Larsen (WA) to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H2647**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:55 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H2650**

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

***Deposit Restricted Qualified Tuition Programs Act:*** H.R. 4178, amended, to amend the Federal Deposit Insurance Act to provide for deposit restricted qualified tuition programs; **Pages H2651–54**

***Indian Veterans Housing Opportunity Act:*** H.R. 3553, to exclude from consideration as income under the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996 amounts received by a family from the Department of Veterans Affairs for service-related disabilities of a member of the family; **Pages H2654–56**

***Supporting the goals and ideals of National Financial Literacy Month, 2010:*** H. Res. 1257, to support the goals and ideals of National Financial Literacy Month, 2010, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yeas-and-nay vote of 397 yeas to 4 nays, Roll No. 212; and **Pages H2656–59, H2668**

***Honoring the life and achievements of Rev. Benjamin Lawson Hooks:*** H. Res. 1271, to honor the life and achievements of Rev. Benjamin Lawson Hooks, by a  $\frac{2}{3}$  yeas-and-nay vote of 407 yeas with none voting “nay”. **Pages H2659–64, H2668–69**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 3:40 p.m. and reconvened at 6:30 p.m. **Page H2668**

**Suspension—Proceedings Postponed:** The House debated the following measure under suspension of the rules. Further proceedings were postponed:

***Supporting the mission and goals of 2010 National Crime Victims’ Rights Week:*** H. Res. 1104, to support the mission and goals of 2010 National Crime Victims’ Rights Week to increase public awareness of the rights, needs, and concerns of victims and survivors of crime in the United States, no matter their country of origin or their creed, and to commemorate the National Crime Victims’ Rights Week theme of “Crime Victims’ Rights: Fairness. Dignity. Respect.”. **Pages H2664–68**

**Privileged Resolution—Intent to Offer:** Representative Flake announced his intent to offer a privileged resolution. **Page H2670**

**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate by the Clerk and subsequently presented to the House today appears on page H2651.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Two yeas-and-nay votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H2668 and H2668–69. There were no quorum calls.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 12:30 p.m. and adjourned at 10:11 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### SELECT INTELLIGENCE OVERSIGHT

*Committee on Appropriations:* Select Intelligence Oversight Panel met in executive session to hold a hearing on the National Security Agency FY 2011 Budget. Testimony was heard from LTG Keith B. Alexander, USA, Director, NSA.

### PTSD/TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY CARE

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Military Personnel held a hearing on implementation of the requirement to provide a medical examination before separating members diagnosed with Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) or Traumatic

Brain Injury (TBI) and the capacity of the Department of Defense to provide care to PTSD cases. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Charles Rice, M.D., Performing the Duties of the Assistant Secretary, Health Affairs, President, Uniformed Services University of Health Sciences; and Bill Carr, Deputy Under Secretary, Military Personnel Policy, Office of the Under Secretary, Personnel and Readiness.

### LEHMAN BANKRUPTCY EXAMINER REPORT

*Committee on Financial Services:* Held a hearing entitled "Public Policy Issues Raised by the Report of the Lehman Bankruptcy Examiner." Testimony was heard from Representatives Eshoo and Perlmutter; Timothy F. Geithner, Secretary of the Treasury; Ben S. Bernanke, Chairman, Board of Governors, Federal Reserve System; Mary L. Schapiro, Chairman, SEC; and public witnesses.

### NUCLEAR POWER FEDERAL LOAN GUARANTEES

*Committee on Oversight and Government Reform:* Subcommittee on Domestic Policy held a hearing entitled "Nuclear Power's Federal Loan Guarantees: The Next Multi-Billion Dollar Bailout?" Testimony was heard from Peter Bradford, former member, NRC; and public witnesses.

## Joint Meetings

No joint committee meetings were held.

### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2010

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry:* business meeting to consider an original bill entitled, "The Wall Street Transparency and Accountability Act of 2010", 9:30 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Defense, to hold hearings to examine proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 2011 for Missile Defense Agency programs, 10:30 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Emerging Threats and Capabilities, to hold hearings to examine nonproliferation programs at the Departments of Defense and Energy in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and the Future Years Defense Program, 10 a.m., SR-222.

Subcommittee on Strategic Forces, to hold hearings to examine environmental management funding in review of the Defense Authorization request for fiscal year 2011 and funding under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act, 2:30 p.m., SR-222.

*Committee on the Budget:* business meeting to consider the concurrent resolution on the budget for fiscal year 2011, 2:15 p.m., SD-608.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation:* to hold hearings to examine securing the nation's rail and other surface transportation networks, 2:30 p.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Subcommittee on Public Lands and Forests, to hold hearings to examine S. 1546, to provide for the conveyance of certain parcels of land to the town of Mantua, Utah, S. 2798, to reduce the risk of catastrophic wildfire through the facilitation of insect and disease infestation treatment of National Forest System and adjacent land, S. 2830, to amend the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1977 to clarify that uncertified States and Indian tribes have the authority to use certain payments for certain noncoal reclamation projects, and S. 2963, to designate certain land in the State of Oregon as wilderness, to provide for the exchange of certain Federal land and non-Federal land, 2:30 p.m., SD-366.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works:* business meeting to consider H.R. 2062, to amend the Migratory Bird Treaty Act to provide for penalties and enforcement for intentionally taking protected avian species, S. 2724, to provide for environmental restoration activities and forest management activities in the Lake Tahoe Basin, H.R. 3305, to designate the Federal building and United States courthouse located at 224 South Boulder Avenue in Tulsa, Oklahoma, as the "H. Dale Cook Federal Building and United States Courthouse", and H.R. 1700 and S. 2129, bills to authorize the Administrator of General Services to convey a parcel of real property in the District of Columbia to provide for the establishment of a National Women's History Museum, and proposed resolutions relating to the Army Corps Study and the General Services Administration, 10 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* to hold hearings to examine the lessons and implications of the Christmas Day attack, focusing on securing the visa process, 10 a.m., SD-342.

*Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship:* to examine the President's proposed budget request for fiscal year 2011 for the Small Business Administration, 2:30 p.m., SR-428A.

*Committee on Veterans' Affairs:* to hold an oversight hearing to examine implementation of the new post-9/11 Government Issue (GI) Bill, 9:30 a.m., SR-418.

#### House

*Committee on Agriculture,* hearing to review U.S. agriculture policy in advance of the 2012 Farm Bill, 11 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

*Committee on Appropriations,* Subcommittee on Defense, on National Capitol Region, 10 a.m., H-140 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Financial Services, and General Government, on FY 2011 Budget Request for the District of Columbia, 10 a.m., 2362-B Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Homeland Security, on Member Day/Public Witnesses, 10 a.m., 2358-C Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies, on FY 2011 Budget